## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Hon. Stanley Chesler

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No. 10-cr-412 (SRC)

Owen Palmer

ORDER FOR CONTINUANCE

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An indictment charging defendant Owen Palmer with one count of being a felon in possession of a firearm, in violation of Titles 18, United States Code, Section 922 (g) (1), having been filed on July 1, 2010; and defendant Owen Palmer having been represented by Donald McCauley, AFPD; and no bail having been set by the Court; and defendant his counsel being aware that a trial must be held within 70 days of the filing of the Indictment on these charges, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(b); and two continuances having previously been granted by the Court pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h) (7) (A); the Government and defendant hereby request a continuance pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h) (7) (A) in order to permit the time necessary to afford the parties the opportunity to reach a plea agreement which would thereby render trial of this matter unnecessary;

IT IS on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of May , 2011

ORDERED that from the date this Order is entered, to and including July 31, 2011, shall be excluded in calculating the

time within which a trial must be held under the Speedy Trial Act for the following reasons:

- 1. Plea negotiations currently are in progress, and both the United States and defendants desire additional time to negotiate pleas in Court, which would thereby render trial of this matter unnecessary.
- 2. Pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7)(A), the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial.

SEEN AND AGREED:

David L. Foster

Assistant U.S. Attorney

Donald McCauley, Asq. Counsel for Owen Palmer

> HONOKABLE STANLEY CHESLER United States District Judge